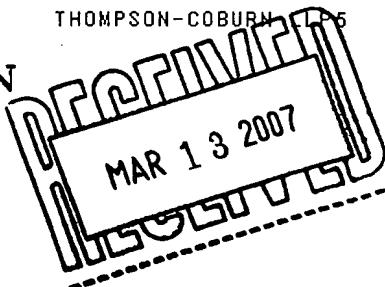


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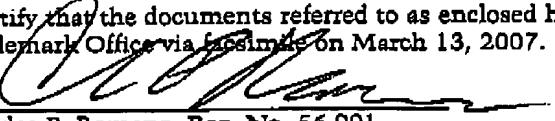
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3. There is an error with respect to the Assignment For Published Patent Application information which should read:

**Advanced Life Science Institute, Inc.**

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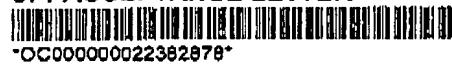
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